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<b>For:</b> METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING ACCESS TO INFORMATION AND THE TRANSFER THEREOF (AS AMENDED)	<b>:</b> <b>:</b>	

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**AMENDMENT IN CONNECTION WITH CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS:**

This Amendment is filed concurrently with a Request For Continued Examination in connection with the above-identified patent application. Of note, a Final Office Action was issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on January 27, 2006. The January 27, 2006 Final Office Action provided a period of 3 months in which to file a response, i.e., by April 27, 2006. A Petition for a three-month extension of time is being filed herewith. Accordingly, a response to the January 27, 2006 Final Office Action is now due by July 27, 2006 and the Request For Continued Examination mentioned above (as well as this Amendment) is being timely filed.